# AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE CHILDHOOD WELLNESS COMMITTEE LOS ANGELES COUNTY COMMISSION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2011, 9:30 A.M.

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#### **ROLL CALL**

**1.** Call to Order. (11-1490)

## I. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER

**2.** Approval of the minutes of August 30, 2011. (11-1491)

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#### II. DISCUSSIONS

- **3.** Review of past Committee accomplishments. (11-1492)
- **4.** Discussion regarding a strategy to address Childhood Asthma. (11-1493)
- **5.** Review of the status of the following issues initiated by Commission/Committee:
  - 2009 Board of Supervisors (Board) Motion (Agenda No. 11 of 4-11-09) related to the rising epidemic of Childhood Obesity.
  - Letter to the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) requesting an update on Foster Family Agency and Group Home contract language related to meals/diet/nutrition.
  - Letter to the Probation Department regarding the delay in implementation of new menus at Juvenile Halls (Issue discussed with Probation staff at the August 30, 2010 Committee Meeting.) (11-1494)
- 6. Discussion and approval of recommendation to send a letter to the Board and the Chief Executive Office (CEO) requesting a status of the 2009 Board Motion 11 of 4-14-11 related to the rising epidemic of Childhood Obesity. (11-1549)

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- 7. Discussion and approval of a recommendation to send a letter to DCFS requesting an update on Foster Family Agency and Group Home contract language related to meals/diet/nutrition. (11-1535)
- 8. Discussion and approval of a recommendation to send a letter to the Probation Department regarding the delay in the implementation of new menus at Juvenile Halls. (11-1548)

#### **III. MISCELLANEOUS**

#### <u>Announcements</u>

 Childhood Wellness Committee Announcements of March 31, 2011. (11-1556)

## **Matters Not Posted**

10. Items not posted on the agenda, to be presented and (if requested) referred to staff or placed on the agenda for action at a future meeting of the Committee, matters requiring immediate action because of an emergency situation or where the need to take immediate action came to the attention of the Committee subsequent to the posting of the Agenda. (11-1562)

## **Public Comment**

11. Opportunity for members of the public to address the Committee on items of interest that are within the jurisdiction of the Committee. (11-1499)

## **Adjournment**

**12.** Adjournment for the meeting of March 31, 2011. (11-1497)